



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 2993**  
Kari-Anne LETH-OLSEN et al. : **Docket No. 2002-0350A**  
Serial No. 10/070,915 : **Group Art Unit 1713**  
Filed June 10, 2002 : **Examiner Tatyana Zalukaeva**  
  
SINGLE STAGE SEED POLYMERISATION  
FOR THE PRODUCTION OF LARGE  
POLYMER PARTICLES WITH  
A NARROW SIZE DISTRIBUTION : **Mail Stop AF**

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of May 21, 2004, the time for responding thereto being extended for three months in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**EXAMINING GROUP 1713**